

# Where West Bountiful Stands on Recycling Options

Recently several members of our community have asked when West Bountiful City might have a curbside recycling program, a service becoming increasingly common in communities throughout the U.S. and gradually becoming more accepted in Utah. By redirecting waste materials back into production stream, many communities have been able to greatly extend the life of their landfills. Recycling also reduces the consumption of natural resources and saves energy. But there is a downside: waste haulers need to charge communities more for the extra pickup and it requires that people sort their garbage.

Waste Management Corporation has offered to provide recycling service to each of the communities in south Davis County for about \$3.35 a month. But that price would only be available if every household in the community were charged that fee. Each residence would be given a separate blue garbage container where they could dispose of all of their recyclable materials, such as cardboard, newspaper, plastic and metal. So far, Woods Cross has been the only city in the area that is providing that service.

Waste Management has offered the same service to West Bountiful City as well. However, we have been reluctant to sign on because some members of our community are reluc-

tant to make recycling a mandatory program. For this reason, our focus has been to find a way to provide a recycling program that is optional, so those residents who want to recycle can choose to do so. However, if the Woods Cross program is successful, we may consider having such a program in West Bountiful.

As an alternative to curbside recycling, we have been trying to find a location where members of the community could bring materials for recycling. Ideally, it would be a location where our citizens might drop off green waste that would then be composted on the site and then sold back to residents. The site would also have bins for various recyclables such as paper, plastic and metal. We have identified a couple of locations and may have something to announce within the next year.

Go to the city website at [www.westbountiful.utah.gov](http://www.westbountiful.utah.gov) if you would like to join an online discussion and share your views about recycling.

—Mayor James Behunin

## WEST BOUNTIFUL CITY SEEKS "PHOTOS" AND "ART" TO TELL OF WEST BOUNTIFUL'S HISTORY

YOUR TALENT AS A PHOTOGRAPHER, ARTIST OR GREAT COLLECTOR OF HISTORY ARE NEEDED AMATEUR, SEMI-PROFESSIONAL, AND PROFESSIONAL ARE INVITED

As part of the talent fair, West Bountiful City is sponsoring a "Design your own Postcard" for the city. The purpose is to collect historic photos of the people and things that have made West Bountiful the beauty and diverse area it is.

Enter a 4x6 photo, with your name and address on back, attached to a talent form, available at W.B. City building or the West Bountiful Website available May 1. Photo should be suitable for the use of becoming a postcard or calendar or other advertising purposes for West Bountiful City. (No originals please, but scanned copies of old original photos would be welcome, as entries will not be returned, but become the property of West Bountiful City use.

### Photos of interest might be:

- Nature scenes which display our city's beauty.
- Photos of historical significance to our city or the people who live here. Must have copyright to, or is over 85 years old, earlier than Jan. 1923)
- Advertisements, art or architecture, which is significant in some way to West Bountiful history or the people who lived here. Must have copyrights to, or is over 85 years old.
- Pioneer or Victorian recipes or information. Must be approximately 85 or more years old.
- Photos of original artwork, specifically designed for West Bountiful use for history, advertisement or promotional purposes.

Work will be judged on its quality of art and photography design. Historical value to the City of West Bountiful, originality and creativity.

A Picture  
is Worth a  
Thousand  
Words

## Calling all Singers and Band Members\*

The Arts Council is offering you the opportunity to perform in our June 13th PATRIOTIC CONCERT. Our Community Choir, under the direction of Dianne Smith, will rehearse at City Hall at 7:30 p.m. on 5 consecutive Thursdays, beginning May 15, 22, 29, June 5 and 12. We are seeking voices for SATB choral arrangements that will be FUN to sing, and thrilling and inspiring to our audience. Call your neighbors and friends to come with you! Please call Dianne Smith at 292-7777 or Colleen Maloy at 298-0293 to sign up, so we can plan for sufficient rehearsal copies.

For the past several years West Bountiful has had a City Band which has participated in and performed at many city functions. This band will also perform at our June 13th Patriotic Concert. If you have an instrument that needs to be dusted off and you'd like to join the City Band, please contact Danny Turnblom at 397-0787 for details.

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